THE DAILY UNION VEDETTE.

A champion brave, alert and strong....To aid the right, oppose the wrong.

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AT

GREAT SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

In time for the Departure of the Mails to the North and Northwest, and to the East and West. The large WEEKLY VEDETTE will be issued at an early day, and ready every Thursday Morning for mailing to subscribers throughout these Territories and the States.

TERMS,

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DAILY.

Ins.	card	1 squ.	2 squs.	¼C	½C	¾C	1C
1 d.	$2	$2	$3	$4	$6	$10	$15
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3 d.	4	4	6	7	10	14	24
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8 w.	6	7	11	14	18	21	45
3 w.	7	8	13	17	22	27	50
1 m.	8	9	14	19	24	31	53
2 m.	10	11	18	26	34	50	80
3 m.	12	14	22	31	42	66	95
6 m.	18	20	34	45	60	100	140
9 m.	23	27	50	61	84	140	175
1 y.	34	36	54	73	96	140	200

WEEKLY.

Ins.	card	1 squ.	2 squs.	¼C	½C	¾C	1C
1 w.	$3	$3	$4	$5	$8	$15	$20
2 w.	4	4	6	9	12	21	33
3 w.	4	5	8	12	17	24	39
1 m.	6	7	10	13	19	30	45
2 m.	9	10	16	23	32	50	75
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6 m.	14	24	36	45	67	97	150
1 y.	24	27	50	70	100	160	225

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Vedette Directory,

UTAH.

Area, 100,262 square miles—Population 90,000.

The Capital, Great Salt Lake City, (Population, 17,000,) situate on the great highway westward, in the grand centre of the golden circle comprising Colorado, Montana, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico and Arizona. The City is one of the most beautiful in the Union, and the largest between St. Louis and Sacramento. Its scenery of mountains is majestic, and its view of islands and Lake is peerlessly picturesque.

The City proper is a square of three miles each side, and contains 260 blocks of 10 acres each. [illegible] Avenues (wide 8 rods) and 4 public squares. Its level streets, running due east and west, and north and south, are 128 feet wide, with shade trees along either sidewalk, and living streams of water flowing by both sides of every street, to irrigate the fruit trees and gardens.

The Territory is divided into twenty counties, the towns of which range from 6,000 to 600 population.

Territorial Officers.

Governor	Chas. Durkee
Secretary	Amos Reed.
Sup't Indian Affairs	O. H. Irish
Chief Justice	John Titus
Associate Justice	T. J. Drake.
" "	S. P. McCurdy.
U. S. Attorney	Hosea Stout, Esq.
U. S. Marshall	Isaac L. Gibbs, Esq.
Delegate to Congress	Hon. W. F. Hooper
Sheriff, Salt Lake Co.	R. T. Burton
Mayor, Salt Lake City	A. O. Smoot

CHURCHES

Congregational. Rev. Norman McLeod

Mormon. Brigham Young, Heber C. Kimball and Daniel H. Well, constituting the "First Presidency," officiate in the city Tabernacle; Bishops officiate in the churches of the several city Wards.

Schools.

In many of the 20 Wards of the city there are schools conducted by Church teachers.

Mails and Stages.

The Overland Mail Company's coaches arrive and depart daily East and to Nevada and California.

The Overland Stage Line coaches arrive and depart daily from and to Denver and the States; and also run tri-weekly between Salt Lake City and Virginia City, Montana. Boise and Idaho cities, Idaho, and intermediate places northward and nort-eastward.

Mails run weekly between Salt Lake city and all the [illegible] towns of Utah, Arizona, etc.

Table of Distances.

Eastward.

From Salt Lake City	
To Fort Bridger	112
Fort Halleck	400
Denver	600
Fort Kearney	1,000
Atchison	1,245
St. Louis	1,500
New York City	2,500

Westward.

To Stockton, Rush Valley, Ut.	50
Egan Canon, Nev.	235
Austin, Reese River, Nev.	375
Virginia City, Nev.	550
Placerville, Cal.	650
Sacramento, "	760
San Francisco, Cal.	784

Northward.

To Ogden City, Utah	40
Brigham City, "	80
Fort Hall, Snake River, Idaho	184
Bear River, junction of Idaho and Montana Mines route	95
Bannock City, "	370
Virginia City, "	450
Last Chance, "	500
Fort Benton, "	710

North-Westward.

To Boise City, Idaho	458
Idaho City, "	460
Dayton, "	493
Portland, Oregon	1,053

Southward.

To Provo, Utah	40
Call's Landing, Head of Navigation of Colorado River	350
La Paz, Arizona	550
Tucson, "	750
Prescott, "	720
Santa Fe, New Mexico via Denver	1,000
El Paso, " "	1,300
Los Angeles, California	600

CITY BUSINESS CARDS.

GREAT SALT LAKE CITY.

ATTORNEYS

Jas. M. Thurmond,

Attorney and Counselor at Law,

Office at the Globe.

Particular attention given to criminal business. All legal instruments drawn up at the shortest notice. jun1-tf

Chas. H. Hempstead,

Attorney and Counselor at Law,

WILL practice in all the Courts in this Territory—Civil and Criminal.

Legal and business instruments promptly and Correctly drawn.

Office South side of Second Street, near Main, second house East of FAUST'S STABLES. sep26 tf

J. M. SIMMONS,

Assistant Assessor Internal Revenue, First Division, District of Utah.

Residence: Two doors east of the Theatre, opposite City Hall, Salt Lake City. n26tf

General Merchandise.

RANSOHOFF & CO.,

East Temple street, Great Salt Lake City.

Dealers in Dry Goods, Ready Made Clothing, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Fancy Groceries, Cutlery, Tobacco, Cigars, etc., etc. je6-tf

ROSENBURG & KAHN,

East Temple street, Salt Lake City.

Dealer in General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Groceries, Notions, etc., etc. je6-tf

ELLIS & BROTHERS

East Temple street Salt Lake City.

Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, and Notions jy12-tf

WALKER BROTHERS,

East Temple street Salt Lake City.

Wholesale and Retail Merchants and Importers of General Merchandise, Domestic and Foreign Dry Goods,

Constantly Receiving New Goods from East and West je6-tf

GILBERT & SONS,

East Temple street, Salt Lake City.

Dealers in General Merchandise, have constantly on hand a choice Stock of Prints, Lawns, Delaines, Broad Cloths, Domestic Goods, Groceries, etc., etc. je6-tf

GURNEY & CO.,

East Temple street, Salt Lake City.

Dealers in Boots, Shoes, etc., je6-tf

S. J. LEES.

Provision Dealer,

East Temple Street, Great Salt Lake City.

Miners and Emigrants Outfitting Establishment.

my17-tf.

DR. MINER'S WIZARD OIL

FOR Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervous and Sick Headache, Sore Throat and Diphtheria, Sprains, Lame Back, Cuts, Bruises, Burns and Scalds, Spinal Affections, Contracted Cords and Muscles.

For sale at HELLER & SNYDER'S Auction Room, S. L. City. my2-tf

T. D. BROWN & SON.

Provision Store.

AGENCY & BOOKSTORE.

East Temple Street, Salt Lake City.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

THOS. B. HELLER. B. F. SNYDER

HELLER & SNYDER.

General Auctioneers, Storage and Commission Merchants.

Corner Main and 2d South Temple Streets, Salt Lake City. je10-tf

E. B. Shoebridge,

Commission Merchant and Dealer

—IN—

Groceries, Provisions, and Miners Outfitting Goods.

Opposite Salt Lake House. june2-tf

Jewelry, etc.,

JOHN MEEKS,

2 doors south of New York Store, S. Lake City.

Dealer in Jewelry, Watches, Chains, and California Quarts Goods. je6-tf

BANKERS

SPENCER S. CLARK. | JOHN F. KIER. | S. S. CLARK.

CLARK & CO.,

BANKERS,

Last Template, (Salt Lake House,) G. S. L. City

Exchange Sold on all parts of the United States and Europe. m26tf

HOLLADAY & HALSEY,

BANKERS.

At office of the Overland Stage Line, Salt Lake City june6-tf

CASH PAID. The highest price paid for Government vouchers by L. MORRIS at the City Market oct20tf

Antelope Restaurant,

BY

J. McGinley,

Formerly from Sacramento and Boise.

Groesbeck's Building, a few doors east of the corner, 2d South street.

Open Night and Day.

Dinner on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 12 o'clock, M. Supper on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 6 o'clock, P. M.

COLORADO ADVERTISEMENTS.

DENVER CITY.

Wholesale Groceries, &c.

STERBINS & PORTER,

Blake Street, Denver,

AND

Atchison, Kansas,

WHOLESALE GROCERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Keep constantly on sale for the Colorado, Utah and Montana Trade.

The largest assortment of Merchandise in the above line, Staple and Fancy, to be found west of St. Louis No. Western Business solicited. je6-tf

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS!

Storage and Commission.

Daniels & Brown,

Blake Street, Denver.

Have constantly on sale, at wholesale,

One of the finest stocks of general merchandise, in the Grocery and Provision line, ever brought to the Territory.

WINES AND LIQUORS, CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

Family Groceries,

Hardware, Miners' and Outfitters' Supplies.

The Trade of Colorado, Utah and Montana is respectfully solicited. jun6-tf

Auction and Commission Houses.

LINCOLN & STRICKLER,

(Of the "Elephant Corral.")

Blake Street, Denver.

GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, STORAGE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Are prepared to sell or buy Merchandise of all kinds, Horses, Cattle, Wagons, etc., either at auction or private sale.

Cash Advances made on Consignments. je6d-tf

D. C. MAXON,

[Successor to Clark & Dyer,]

F Street, below Blake, Denver,

GENERAL AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT

Merchandise of all kinds, Stock, etc., sold and bought to best advantage for customers, at public or private sale.

Liberal advances made on Consignments.

Refer to Merchants generally in Colorado. je6d-tf

MOSES HALLET. ALFRED SAYRE.

HALLET & SAYRE,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

Office on F Street, over Clark & Co's Bank,

Denver.

jun6-tf

ATCHISON, KANSAS.

Thos. J. Bartholow, New York City. Theo. Bartholow, Atchison, Kansas.

BARTHOLOW & BRO.,

Atchison, Kansas.

Wholesale Merchants and Dealers in Groceries, Liquors, Tobacco, Miners' and Outfitters' Supplies. Trade from Colorado, Utah and Montana. Respectfully Invited. je6-tf

J. GARSIDE. JOHN M. PRICE

J. GARSIDE & CO.,

Successors to A. S. Parker & Co

Storage & Com'n Merchants

And General Forwarding Agents,

Atchison, Kan.

Goods marked "Care J. Garside & Co., Atchison, Kansas," forwarded to Colorado, Utah, Montana, Idaho and all points West of the Missouri River without delay and at the very Lowest Rates.

We refer by permission to the following:

Thos. S. Pope, Sec. Hazard Powder Co., N. Y.
Field, Leiter & Co., Philadelphia.
Stebbins & Porter, Denver.
T. Mable & Co., Chicago.
Robert Campbell, St. Louis.
Wm. Jennings, Salt Lake City.
Scott, Kerr & Co., Salt Lake City.
H. W. Rives, Atchison, Kansas. sep11-tf

BEST MUSICAL INSTRUCTORS.

The best Pianoforte Book	
Is Richardson's New Method	$3 75
The best Organ Book	
Is Zundel's Modern School	4.00
The best Cabinet Organ Book	
Is Wilner's Perfect Guide	75
The best Melodeon Book	
Is Zundel's Instructor	2.50
The best Guitar Book	
Is Curtiss' Method	3.00
The best Violin Book	
Is Fessenden's Modern School	2.50
The best Flute Book	
Is Berbiguier's Method	3.00
The best Violoncello Book	
Is Romberg's School	3.00
The best Accordeon Book	
Is Wilner's Perfect Guide	75

Published by OLIVER DITSON & Co., Boston.

For sale also by the Music Dealers of San Francisco. jy17-1y

MONTANA

EXPRESS LINE.

A. J. OLIVER & Co.,

Are running from one to two Coaches daily between Virginia city and

Ophir Gulch, Blackfoot City,

VIA

LAST CHANCE, MONTANA CITY, Jefferson City, etc.

Also, a Semi-Weekly Line to

Silver Bow City & German Gulch.

Virginia City, oct. 1, 1865. oct7 tf

CAMP DOUGLAS OMNIBUS!

JOSEPH RAMSDELL runs his four-horse "double decker" between Town and Camp, trips a day, and, on theatre nights, after the performances, leaving the Salt Lake House about 9 a. m.

COLORADO ADVERTISEMENTS.

DENVER CITY.

Hotels and Restaurants.

Planters' House,

Denver.

McNasser & Johnson, Prop's.

THE "PLANTERS," is the largest and most commodious hotel in Colorado, and the traveling public may be assured that everything will be done to render it worthy of their patronage. In connection with the house is a first class bar and billiard saloon, barber shop, bath rooms, etc., etc. jun6-tf

Tremont House,

Denver.

Chas. F. Parkhurst, Prop'r.

THE present Proprietor, having put this popular house in renewed order, would inform travelers from the West that its facilities for comfort and accommodation to transient boarders are not excelled in Denver.

Transient patronage solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. jun6-tf

Books, Stationery, etc.

Woodworth & Moffat,

Larimer street, Denver.

Wholesale Dealers in Books, Stationery, &c.

School Library and Miscellaneous Books,
Blank Books, Novels,
Newspapers and Periodicals,
Photograph Albums,
Playing Cards,
Wall Papers
Stationers' Hardware,
Pocket Cutlery,
Gold Pens,
Fancy articles, printing paper &c.

The trade in Utah and Montana supplied cheaper than they can obtain in limited quantities from the States direct.

A branch store will be established in Salt Lake City the coming season. jun6-tf

Bankers, etc.

First National Bank of Denver.

Capital, $200,000—Limit, $500,000.

THE first National Bank of Denver, organized under an act of Congress to provide a "National Currency," is now in active operation and prepared to do a general Banking and Exchange business.

All business entrusted to us will receive the personal attention of the officers. We deal in Exchange Coin, Gold-dust, Bullion, Vouchers and uncurrent Money. Exchange sold on the principal cities of the United States and Europe.

J. B. CHAFFEE, Prest. H. J. ROCKFELLOW, V. Prest.
GEO. T. CLARK, Cashier. jun6-tf

Kountze Brothers.

Denver, Col., Central City, Col., Omaha, Nebraska,

DEALERS in Gold dust, Bullion, Vouchers, Land Warrants and Exchange on the West and East. Banking and Collection business transacted promptly in Colorado and the States. jun6-tf

Langworthy & Charlton,

BANKERS & BROKERS

Idaho City, Idaho Territory.

DEALERS in Legal Tenders, Coin, Gold Dust, Drafts, Script, Mining Stocks and Revenue Stamps.

SPECIAL AND GENERAL DEPOSITS RECEIVED.

References:

J. H. Wood & Co.,
Vantine & Co.,
Clark & Dunn,
J. L. Smith, agent Wells Fargo & Co. july28 dtf

SALT LAKE CITY ADS.

DESERET & DENVER Corral and Feed Stable,

BY

C. LAHAIE,

2d South Street, near Livingston's Corral, Salt Lake City

ACCOMODATION for man and horse, at lowest charges. Custom solicited from residents and travelers. se5-tf

If you want to buy

Real Laces

Go to

Elgutter's TEMPLE OF FASHION,

Main street

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Excelsior Coal Mine.

I AM now prepared to deliver Coal at my Mine situated in Coalville Summit county, in any quantity and without delay, at four (4) dollars per Ton.

Office at C. H. INGRAM, 2nd door below Scott, Kerr & Co's Bank, Great Salt Lake City.

R. A. KEYES.

nov8-tf

New GROCERY STORE.

Corner of 2d South and 1st East Streets

Wardman & Co.,

DEALERS in choice staple and family groceries, Provisions, Notions, country Produce, Salt, and an Assortment of almost everything. City patronage solicited. dec7-1mo

ALLEN & MILLARD,

BANKERS,

Virginia City.

DEALERS in Coin, Gold Dust, Treasury Notes, and Foreign and Domestic Exchange. jun6-tf

GURNEY & CO.,

EXCLUSIVE DEALERS in custom made Boots and Shoes, MINERS Boots, RUBBER Boots &c.

Virginia, Nevada, and Helena Cities, Montana Territory.

STAR OF THE WEST!

ELLIS & BRO'S

TAKE great pleasure in informing their numerous patrons and the public generally that they are back to the former place of business on

The West Side of EAST TEMPLE STREET,

with enlarged and commodious premises, decidedly advantageously increased trade. They are now prepared to serve in this city in their class and quality of Goods, and in their convenience to

Wholesale and Retail Customers.

We have already received a very large Stock of New Goods and have Three more Trains on the way to this place.

We can and will sell as cheap as the cheapest!

Our Stock consists of

Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS,

Boots and Shoes,

CLOTHING,

HATS and CAPS

A Full and Complete

Stock of Groceries AND HARDWARE,

PAINTS, OILS, LEADS,

Dye-Stuffs,

Cutlery,

Notions, Carpets,

Oil-Cloths and Mattings,

Damasks, Laces, Embroideries,

Hosiery, Crockery and Glass Ware,

etc. etc.

Cigars and Tobacco, Drugs.

Stationery.

Our Assortment is unsurpassed, We offer it Wholesale and Retail, for Cash or Produce.

We return our sincere thanks to the public for generous patronage which we have received since our arrival in this country, and fully satisfied of the community's appreciation of our efforts to sell at the lowest prices, we trust that we shall receive a continuance of their favor.

ELLIS & BROTHERS.

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Wanted,

Five hundred Men

AT THE

NEW STORE

OF THE

San Francisco Cheap John AND AUCTIONEER,

One door east of Reed's Drug store, East Temple street,

To buy Clothing at

Low Rates.

We will have constantly on hand all kinds of Gentlemen's Clothing,

and furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes of every description, also Hats and Caps, Yankee Notions, &c. &c.

se30-tf S. W. JOEL & Co.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Miners of the Rush Valley Mining District held at the Store of Maj. P. A. [illegible] Stockton, Tooele County, U. T. on the sixth (6th) day of January, A. D. 1866 at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of determining to whom the first easterly extension on the Lincoln Lode belongs.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal at my office in the city of Stockton, this twelfth day of December, A. D. 1865.

ANDREW CAMPBELL, de18-tja6 Recorder.

CHENEY'S

Billiard Rooms!

Union Block, over C. A. Cook & Co's Bank,

Denver, Colorado.

Six of Phelan's latest Improved Tables, with the best of

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

Always on hand. Billiard Balls, Cloths and Cues for sale.

dec22d3mo. P. B. CHENEY.

W. P. SANDERS. JERRY COOK.

SANDERS & COOK,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Virginia City, [illegible]

Jewelry New Store.

Genuine Diamonds,

Rubies, Pearls,

Gold and Silver

American and European

Watches,

Also

Gold and Silver Chains,

And an inviting Assortment of things in this line, suitable for

HOLIDAY GIFTS.

All Warranted.

Just opened and for sale by

A. Walters,

In Wilkinson & Fenn's Wholesale Warehouse, *East Temple Street One Door South of New York Store.*

Mr. W. G. HIGLEY lately from the States, will pay particular attention to the Watch and Clock department.

All work warranted. dec7-tf

New Goods

FOR

Christmas AND NEW YEAR!

New York Store!

Those desiring

New Styles

and Cheap Goods, call immediately, being determined to sell low and give all satisfaction.

Solicit particular attention to our choice

TEAS AND GROCERIES.

AND

New Styles of Prints,

&c., &c., &c.

New York Store.

Two Doors above the Anolien House. dec16 tf

Special Notice.

Pioneer Line!

T. D. Brown & Son,

Have received a portion of their

New Goods

From the States. The best of

Tea,

Coffee,

Sugar,

Tobacco,

Cigars,

And other Groceries,

We boast of their quality and will sell at a moderate profit, but not at

Ten per cent under cost!

We have a choice selection and great variety of Goods on the road hither, within a short distance. oct7-1y

Boots & Shoes

THE largest assortment of Boots and Shoes in this city is now open at my Store, opposite the Salt Lake House.

My Stock embraces

Men's and Boys' Boots,

Balmorals,

Gaiters,

Brogans

Of all description,

Women's Misses' and Children's Gaiters, Balmorals, Bootees, Buskin and Slippers of all kinds.

Also a nice variety of Men's and Boys'

HATS AND CAPS.

I propose to sell, at retail, from now until the 1st of January,

AT LESS THAN WHOLESALE Prices.

Call and see me.

E. B. Shoebridge.

nov 20-tf

Dr. J. K. ROBINSON. Ed. W. H. TAFT.

ROBINSON & TAFT,

Surgeon Dentists,

MAY be consulted at their Office, over Hall's Grocery, opposite the Salt Lake House, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 4 P. M. daily. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 to 4 P. M. [illegible]

If we look beneath the mere surface of things and endeavor to comprehend the elements constituting a people's well-being, we will not be satisfied with the admitted fact that by years of arduous toil and most commendable industry, the Mormon people have done much to redeem the dreary wastes of Utah, and from a soil supposed to be cursed with eternal barrenness, to produce in abundance the necessaries of life. From this fact alone we cannot determine that the dominant policy has been wise, just, or essentially beneficial. Passing from the scene of toil, and descending where even the wild savage could hardly picture a miserable existence, many, however, pitifully shrunken—questions of weighty import arise, that ere we are prepared to pass judgment upon the system, it is necessary to clearly determine. Changed below in to a fruitful field?

Have the people been the mere scanty gleaners or have they gathered the rich and abundant harvests? How is the wealth distributed? As among the rural classes, the farming communities elsewhere, in the broad domain of the republic, is there the absence of great wealth and of extreme poverty? Are there many taxed and burdened, to build up luxuriant homes for the idle and princely surroundings? Is the product of the people's toil converted into the means of comfort and of intellectual and moral culture and elevation, to themselves and their families? Or is it largely devoted to purposes of visionary good, but truly to enrich their leaders? In the Western States, where even the poorest and most ignorant of the foreign populations, commenced the world anew, a few years ago, with but little except their native energies and the inspiring hope of independence, we now find the most satisfactory evidence of a rising people. The log cabin has given place to the neat and comfortable cottage. School houses have risen in every small settlement. The children are well clothed and cared for, and are receiving the elementary training to fit them for enacting their part as citizens of the republic, and rising to be the peers of the proudest. There we see labor tending not to servility but to elevation to well developed manhood. Is it so in Utah? Analyze it. What are its results? Is there not in it a refinement of servitude? Does it not tend to foster and uphold what lords it over the people? Are there not principles in the tithing system that are eternally opposed to the temporal prosperity of the people? With the excessive burden imposed upon them and enforced by all the high sanctions and even terrors of religion, how is it possible that they should prosper? We do not speak slightingly of the religion of a people, however vague and visionary it may be, when it does not conflict with their high and worthy interests, with the sanctity of law, and with the honor of the republic. For its sincerity we have a sort of respect, even for what we conceive to be the pitiful and servile delusion of many of the Mormon people in robbing themselves and their families of necessities and comforts, to fill the coffers and the store-houses of the tithing system, but we regret that they have been taught to entertain such unworthy thoughts of God, as to believe that He demands such sacrifices from any of His creatures. We take so practical a view of religion and of life, and have such lofty conceptions of the love and tenderness of the Heavenly Father, that we believe He would be more pleased with the people if the means they so lavishly expend, on the already affluent apostles and prophets were expended on the neglected children and poorly furnished homes and ill-kept mothers and daughters of Utah.

BY PACIFIC TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL TO THE DAILY UNION VEDETTE.]

GENERAL NEWS.

Baltimore, Dec. 30.

Hon. Henry Winter Davis died of pneumonia at 2 30 this afternoon.

New York, Dec 30.

Judge Leonard in the Supreme Court to-day, discharged Martin, the accomplice of Kennedy, on a writ of habeas corpus, from the custody of Gen. Hooker. Martin was then arrested by the United States Commissioner on a charge of arson.

A Washington special says: the statement with reference to the withdrawal of the French troops from Mexico will be likely to receive official confirmation. Whether the rumors first appeared they came originally from Mexico, that is a condition attending. The withdrawal of that condition was the assurance from this Government to Napoleon that the Monroe doctrine does not mean a pledge has been given by our Government that no interference will be allowed. The course of the administration [illegible] no doubt in the minds of those that the [illegible] will be to make short work [illegible] the instance of this. Maximilian [illegible] will soon [illegible], not informa-

a hands [illegible] to establish his sway. If he does, there will be no other course but to recognize him. The Government is committed in its diplomatic correspondence to this recognition, when it is shown that the Mexican people accepted the new order of things, and Napoleon counts confidently on recognition taking place.

Washington, Dec 30.

It appears from official announcements that the people of N. C. declared null and void the ordinance of secession, by a vote of ten thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven, and that [illegible] hundred and forty. Eighteen thousand five hundred and twenty-seven votes were cast to ratify the ordinance of secession: thirty-six hundred and ninety-six to reject it. The War Department issued an order this morning to the Provost Marshal to turn over to the Navy Department temporarily the old Capitol prison for the confinement of Capt. Semmes. The order has been given by the Navy Department for placing ships in commission reduced about the 11th of January.

The United States steam sloops Vanderbilt, Tuscarora and monitor Mahopac put into port Cayenne on the 27th of November to coal. All aboard the vessels were in good condition.

The U. S. Consul at port Mahon writes to the State Department that the Cholera has nearly disappeared from that province, and says the mortality in Spain has been far greater than ever before known.

Assistant Secretary Chandler and Hon Harvey Watterson, of Tennessee, have been sent on a special mission among the Treasury and Cotton agents of the Southern States, to investigate many charges of fraud and corruption against them. In Consequence of a snow-storm, the steamer Osceola did not sail to-day, as expected for South Atlantic ports. It is contemplated that her trip is not political.

New York, Dec 30.

The Albany Argus says, Horace Greeley, Governor Seward, David Dudley Field and William Dodge were in Albany a few days since, to urge upon Gov. Fulton the pardon of young Ketchum. They were fortified by letters from Chief Justice Chase and others, prominent in national politics. The persons injured by Ketchum and all creditors with one exception, write, it is said, urging his pardon. It is also said that Ketchum's testimony is needed in suits involving over a million of dollars, and that by the conviction the consequent disqualification as a witness, much injustice will be done.

Washington dispatches says, an interview between the President and Secretary Stanton yesterday, lasted about four hours, during which the qualifications, for the public services, of a long list of Majors and Brigadier Generals were fully discussed. The President after hearing the reading of the Secretary, revised the list and submitted them, restoring some who had been marked for dismissal and striking off the names of others marked for retention.

Washington, Dec 30.

Business at the office of the Attorney General, in respect to the examination of applications for pardon, has sensibly diminished within the past week. The only cases which are receiving attention are the few coming in under the special order of the President.

December 31

Under advice of the physicians the Secretary of State and Assistant Secretary embarked last night on the steamer De Soto, for a short voyage in the warmer latitudes of the South Atlantic. They are expected to be absent two or three weeks. Wm Hunter, chief clerk of the Department, is appointed Acting Secretary of State during the interval. H. N. Cooper, Commissioner of Emigration, is appointed Acting Assistant Secretary.

ACROSS THE CONTINENT.

Lecture by Schuyler Colfax, at the Academy of Music, Philadelphia.

Referring to Utah in the Mormon regions and his stay at Salt Lake City and his observations upon the social life there presented, he said: In the heart of the continent, in the direct line of traffic, was the chief seat of the Mormons, containing a population of 100,000 souls, gathered from all the nations of Europe a people governed by the absolute will of one man, and bound to obedience by the most powerful ecclesiastical system known to civilization. The President of the Church of Latter Day Saints styles himself the Anointed of the Lord. He has associated with him in the church twelve other Anointed Apostles, and again under these seventy Bishops, who have the subordinate control and oversight of each individual family comprising the population, with belief in the inspiration of their leaders and in the infallibility of their church. With all legislation in the hands of their leaders, the Latter Day Saints form a compact and powerful organization; but there is another side. Every man who enters into the polygamous condition—and it is almost universal—every woman who by public opinion or by permission by the hopes of happiness and exaltation in heaven, becomes a Mormon, becomes a defender of the church. Brigham Young himself on one occasion, at this express desire, held forth in the Bowery, and took for his discourse the twenty sixth and twenty seventh verses of the first chapter of Genesis. His discourse on that occasion was of a very different character. He declared to his followers that when he belonged to a sectarian church he believed that God was a spirit, but now, by the revelation, he believed Him to be a king, with habits and wants and passions like the men on earth. This belief of his he reiterated six or seven times to give it emphasis; that in heaven the inhabitants had the same passions, and desires as men have. He (the lecturer) could not repeat what this Latter Day Saint, said of Him whom all Christianity reverenced as the Saviour of mankind. Brigham said if they could see the Father and the Son together, the [illegible] find that the only difference between them would be that one [illegible] than the other, and any father and son would. St. Paul's injunction that a man should have but one wife, and should cling to her, he said, did not prove that a man should not have [illegible] many other wives as he [illegible].

Our "Fix" Exactly.—A California editor, speaking of complaint by his readers, that he don't publish all the local items that they desire to see, justly observes, that it is often their own fault in not sending the facts. He says he would like to publish a birth after a child is grown, a marriage after the honeymoon is past, and the death of a man after his widow is married.

& SON'S Mammoth STOCKS OF GOODS!

Composing their own late importations and the Splendid ASSORTMENT

Received by Amazing out Messrs. Barrow & Co. to are now on exhibition and for sale at their New Quarters

WOODMANSEE'S New Building,

Next to the Overland Stage office,

East Temple Street SALT LAKE CITY.

General Merchandise,

Dry Goods,
Groceries,
Hardware,
Glassware,
Queensware,
Stationery,
Perfumery,
Notions,
Fancy Articles.
Agricultural Implements,
Mechanics Tools, and
In brief

ALL KINDS OF GOODS, WARES AND MERCHANDISE, For Sale Cheaper Than any House in town,

For Cash or All kinds of Produce AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL,

Immense supplies —OF— HATS AND CAPS, Dry Goods, Clothing, NOTIONS,

Together with a splendid assortment of GLASS AND QUEENSWARE! BOOTS & SHOES At Cost!

Offer the largest and finest stock of Ladies and Gentlemens' Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, For men, women and children's wear, for Miners, Men of Fashion, to be had in town, and at the LOWEST PRICE, FOR Country Produce

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DAILY

To Dealers in the City And Country!

WE have opened the Store in Walker's New Building, three doors below Salt Lake House, and have now on sale a large Stock of Staple and Fancy Merchandise,

Including

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Yankee Notions, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, &c., &c.

IN DRY GOODS WE HAVE

Domestics, Denims, Striped Shirtings, Checks, Cottonades, Flannels, Cassimeres, Blankets, etc. etc.

GROCERIES,

Sugars, Coffee and Tea Pepper, Allspice, Cinnamon, Cloves, Nutmegs, Cream Tartar, Soda, Soap, Candles, Yeast Powders, etc.

Hardware,

Anvils, Vices, Brass Kettles, Axes, Wood Saws, Spades, Shovels, Scythes, Picks, Sledges, Scythe Stones, Fry-Pans, Plows, Rope, and Horse Shoe Nails,

CORDAGE,

Brooms and Buckets,

MECHANIC'S TOOLS,

And in short everything from a Salamander Safe to a Limerick Fish Hook.

OF

Yankee Notions,

We have an endless assortment. A big lot of Men's and Boys'

HATS and CAPS,

All styles and prices.

Our Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES

consists of Men's and Women's,

Balmorals, Bregans, and Gaiters.

Youths', Children's and Infants' Shoes of all descriptions. Men's and Boys' Boots,

Calf, Kip, and Grained Leather, of Superior Qualities.

We have likewise a full Assortment of

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Turpentine, Dye Stuffs, &c.

Which we will close out cheap.

Confectionery,

A choice selection of Nuts, Candies, Fruits, etc with a million of TOYS for the Holidays.

A few Platform SCALES.

We will say to buyers, that our stock of Goods was bought for Cash, when the Eastern Markets "touched gravel," and our anxiety to sell will induce us to job as low as Houses that advertise to sell "at Cost."

BODENBURG & KAHN'S,

(East Temple street,)

A few Doors below the Telegraph Office.

Having an immense, large and well selected Stock of

General Merchandise

On hand from CALIFORNIA AND THE EAST with a GENERAL ASSORTMENT of Fall Dress Goods, Staple Dry Goods, and various other Articles necessary for UTAH TRADE.

We have made a great Reduction in Prices

To close our present Stock and make room for more.

We are now offering to the Public the best, LARGEST AND CHEAPEST Stock of MERCHANDISE Unequalled in QUALITY AND PRICE by any other Mercantile House in this Territory.

SELLING AT COST.

We direct particular attention to our large Stock of BOOTS and SHOES, which we are now selling AT COST,

Wishing to go out of that branch of business, and offering them WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Great Sacrifice.

Our Stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, and CLOTHING, is complete, and of a Quality and Price which need no Recommendation.

We also have on hand Cooking Stoves, Carpenters' Tools, Farming Implements, Yankee Notions, Stationery, Tobacco, Segars, etc. etc.

And a variety of other Goods, too numerous to mention.

We invite one and all.

BODENBURG & KAHN'S,

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Local and M[illegible]

But diamond [illegible]
When crime's dank hole [illegible]

GEN. Pope says he believes that many of the attacks on stages and trains on the Western Plains, were made by white men painted to represent Indians.

IF your [illegible] have been employed, take example by your boots, which although blackened almost every day, shine the more brightly, and which endure every [illegible]

THE Idaho *World* says the cemeteries of Idaho contain the concrete ruffianism which was gathering for fifteen years on the Pacific coast, and which epitomizes every crime known to man, and accursed of God.

HELENA MONTANA Read what "Index" has to say from this section of our sister Territory His views are given as they come, to go for what they're worth. The letter will be found on our fourth page.

LOTS of items of interest, "Montaneous." Coloradan, Idahoan and otherwise, local and miscellaneous, from home and distant exchanges, carefully culled, are on file for your benefit, patient reader, and will appear at earliest opportunities.

NEWSPAPER REVIEWING.—The Rockland (Vermont) Gazette, in announcing the [illegible] new book, spoke thus briefly and to the point: "We have received a book entitled 'Arabella, a Tale of Tenderness.' The author is a fool."

THE Ball by the 3d Infantry, Veteran Battalion California Volunteers, at Mr Savage's Eureka Hall, New Year's night, was a crowded complete success. Space prevents [illegible] on this and [illegible] which we have no room for.

HEMBOLD, the Buchu man, pays the New York Tribune over $10,000 a year for advertising his patent medicines.—Bonner was wont to pay $1,000 for a page of the Tribune. They reap their reward. Yea, verily, great are the profits of advertising.

FUN AHEAD.—They have come! We mean, of course, Mike Quinn's star minstrels, masters of the Ethiopian art of entertainment, &c., &c. Prof. Lloyd, the proprietor of the troupe, arrived here yesterday. The array of talent will appear at the Academy of Music, Saturday night next.

FORT [illegible] bevies of subscribing for or renewing their subscriptions to the *Vedette*, will be waited on by Mr. A. L. Bateman, of that Post, who has kindly consented to solicit for our paper there, and swell its list of supporting readers. Subscribe through him for this winter term. Price only $5 00 for three months in advance!

GRAHAM's Benefit, at the Academy of Music, Tuesday night was a success. But some of the audience in the dress circle and elsewhere shouldn't have risen to vamose at the close of the play, until it was completely ended. This embarrassing [illegible] among some folks, is sheer vulgarity—when the house is not on fire!

A Dispatch [illegible] that private dispatches dated New York, Dec. 17th, quote an advance of 5 to 20 per cent. on common goods, with a British demand for Lonsdale shirtings; 60 cents for standard; American prints, 25; other goods in proportion.

Also, that another detachment of four companies of the Fourteenth Infantry left for Arizona by the steamship Orizaba.

IT DON'T [illegible] —Speaking of the sickening self glorification of these Saints, the Gold Hill, Nev., *News* says:

The *Telegraph* (Mormon organ) says that there are no *Crim. cons.* in Salt Lake City. Trust a thief to catch a thief. *Beminer*, said of the place he gathered from. The parties [illegible] to the *licentious riot* that abounds in Salt Lake

SIZE OF THE WEST. Illinois would make forty such States as Rhode Island, and Minnesota sixty. Missouri is larger than all New England. Ohio exceeds either Ireland, Scotland, or Portugal: and equals Belgium, Scotland and Switzerland together. Missouri is more than half as large as Italy, and larger than Denmark, Holland, Belgium and Switzerland. Missouri and Illinois are larger than England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales.

I. O. O. F.—The public are invited to attend the Installation of the officers of Utah Lodge No. 1. I. O. O. F. to take place at Independence Hall on Friday evening, January 5th, 1866 at 7 o'clock; Members and visiting Brethern in good standing will assemble at their Hall, at precisely 6 o'clock P. M. after which time, proceed to the Independence Hall. A cordial invitation is extended to all, to witness the Installation exercise and hear the address at Independance Hall.

By order of the W. D. D. G. Sire,

[illegible] Grand Marshall.

THE Idaho Legislature has been organized. Alex Blakely, of Idaho county, is chosen Speaker of the House; Mr. [illegible] Council. They had quite a "time" in electing Legislative officers. There was [illegible] and members had to be hoisted into the Council Chamber by the strong hand. The *Statesman* says that "the ballot-[illegible] and towards Salt Lake. It is supposed they would have reached Brigham's dominions before being overtaken, if they had not loitered in the neighborhood of the Indian wiccinp just above town."

[illegible] Mrs. Irwin. The ladies and gentlemen of Great Salt Lake City and Camp Douglas will not let this opportunity pass by without their expression of unqualified appreciation towards the sterling, versatile and winning artiste, whose "Benefit" is on the bills for Friday night. Let the Academy of Music, then and there, be thronged with such a turn-out of the beauty and fashion (and wallets) of this city, as will cheer up the head and fill the treasury of this sparkling, splendid lady actress. A big bill is out for this occasion: first, the capital comic Irish play of "Andy Blake;" next, (and never before performed here,) the glittering, joyous piece entitled "Utonianna," to be followed with an entirely new farce written expressly for Mrs. Irwin's Benefit by Mrs Sloan, of this city, and entitled "Utonianna," or a melange in which Mrs. Irwin will appear in English, Irish, Scotch and Dutch characterizations with singing, dancing, &c., in both Hibernian and Hollander style. Secure your tickets in time.

THE LAW OF LARCENY PER WELLS, FARGO & Co's EXPRESS.—It should be borne in mind, by parties sending letters by express, that no letters can lawfully be carried outside the mails, either by express or stage-driver's way bags—unless *enclosed in U. S. prepaid stamped envelopes*, of the proper denomination. This requirement is in accordance with a law passed by Congress March 3d 1845, which has never been repealed, and the enforcement of which is now more strenuously insisted upon than ever. Official circulars have been issued by Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co., instructing their Agents to decline carrying any letters by express unless conformable with this law; and [illegible] the ordinary stamp or stamps attached, which were deposited in their boxes, will be detained at the express office or delivered to the nearest post office. The law is rendered but little burdensome by the fact that Government, through its post office officials, has always been prepared to furnish the public its stamped envelopes at a merely nominal price over and above the prepaid postage.

SAN FRANCISCO ITEMS.—News to the 27th is received from sundown. Among the items we note that J. Ross Browne has been appointed Captain in the Arizona Volunteers, and ordered to report for topographical duty.—O. M. Clayes, State Printer of California, and one of the owners of the Stock on *Independent*, has purchased the *American Flag* newspaper. Tenbrugh, editor of the *Independent*, is to be editor, it is said.—Captain Whitney, President of the Steam Navigation Company, is dead.—Col. E. S. Lathrop was killed near San Jose, by being thrown from a carriage whilst the horses attached thereto were running away. He was a native of New York, aged 43 years.—The line of the United States Telegraph Company is now working between Silver City and San Jose, California, and the superintendent of construction expects to have it in operation between Virginia and San Francisco sometime next week.—Military officers recently arrived from the East state positively that General Grant has determined on paying an early visit to the Pacific coast.

THE MONTANA MARKET.—We are in receipt of a "Price Current based on cash sales," by Messrs. McCormick, Oule & Co, Commission Merchants and Wholesale Grocers, corner of Wallace and Van Buren streets, Virginia City, Montana, dated Dec. 20, '65. From it we make the following quotations, as the well-known reliability and respectability of the [illegible] are a guarantee sufficient to our readers (many of whom are their friends and customers) in this city, Denver, and the towns on the Missouri, that these quotations are correct and current wholesale rates—gold dust currency:—

Salt Lake flour, offered at $23, selling at $24; St. Louis flour $30; corn meal 20@23. (hereafter the first quotation will mean the purchasing, and the second and third the "selling" prices,) bacon 50c @ 55c; lard 45c @ 50c; hams 50 @ 60c; sugars 45 & 47 a 50 & 52c; coffee $1; Japan tea $2 75; Imperial tea $3; Y. H. teas $2 75; S. L. peaches dried, offered at 45c; selling at 55c; S. L. apples dried, 75a 80c; S. L. butter $1 50; States butter $1 10; Natural leaf tobacco 4 75; other brands $3; yeast powders $9.; cream tartar per lb $1; soda 50c; Field's oysters $2 4; other canned goods [illegible] per gross $6; candles $5; pickles per gross $6; coal oil $25; nails $25; salt, fine 65c; wrapping paper per lb. 50c; Wells & Co's candles 60 and 65c; other brands 55 and 60c; barley 15c; oats 15c; wheat 15c; clover seed 30c. Treasury notes current at 85c in exchange. Coin 8 per cent. premium in dust. We hope this interesting item will favor us occasionally through the season with their prices current.

FALL AND WINTER
Clothing!
OF
CLOTHING!
AND
Furnishing Goods
FOR
GENTS and BOYS
SIEGEL & CO.
Have now on hand a Wholesale and Retail stock of
TWO STOREROOMS,
Corner East Temple and 1st South street, and also 1st door north of Salt Lake House.
Salt Lake City,
The largest assortment of the above, together with
Boots,
Shoes,
Hats,
Caps,
Blankets,
Woolen sh'ts
Yankee Notions,
To be found in the city, and at
TERMS AS LOW AS ELSEWHERE.
Send on your orders, or call, at either house. Respectfully
SIEGEL & CO.
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NEW GOODS!
NEW GOODS!
W. H. BAIRD
Is now opening at C. H. INGRAM'S Old Stand,
East Temple Street,
2 Doors South of Scott, Kerr & Co's Bank,
A SPLENDID STOCK OF
Staple
Dry Goods!
READY-MADE CLOTHING!
Boots & Shoes!
HATS & CAPS!
Also—Large Stock of
STAPLE AND FANCY
GROCERIES!
Which we offer at Lower Prices than any other Establishment in Salt Lake City.
Country and City Merchants are invited to call and examine.
Highest price paid for
FLOUR,
GRAIN,
AND COUNTRY
PRODUCE!
Coal Oil!
by the Can at Lower Prices than can be purchased in the City.
oct7-3tf W. H. BAIRD

Special Notice.
Pioneer Line!
T. D. Brown & Son,
Have received a portion of their
New Goods
From the States. The best of
Tea,
Coffee,
Sugar,
Tobacco,
Cigars,
And other Groceries.
We boast of their quality, and will sell at a moderate profit, but not at
Ten per cent under cost!
We have a choice selection and great variety of Goods on the road hither, within a short distance.
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CAMP DOUGLAS OMNIBUS!
JOSEPH RAMSELL runs his four horse "double decker" between Town and Camp twice a day, and on theatre nights, after the performances, leaving the Salt Lake House about 9 p. m. and 2 a. m.

WATCHES!
Clocks, &c.
JOHN A. HOLLAHAN
New Store,
Two doors south of the New York Store,
He will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of goods in the above line. Every article guaranteed as represented.
Mr. JAS. M. BARLOW is well and favorably known in this community, will pay particular attention to the repairing of Watches, Clocks &c.
All work guaranteed.
MICKS,
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Morse, Walcott & Co.,
MONTANA.
WHOLESALE GROCERS, FORWARDING & COMMISSION
Merchants,
MORSE, WALCOTT & Co.,
Salt Lake City, Utah.
AGENTS for the PURCHASING and FORWARDING of ALL KINDS of MERCHANDISE from the East, to the West.
Orders solicited, for Utah and Montana Territories.
REFERENCE:
Fay & Stone ..... Boston, Mass.
T. J. Slaughter ..... New York
Shores, Dunham & Co. ..... Chicago.
Henry Bell & Sons ..... St. Louis.
Strode, Ruby & Co. ..... St. Louis.
Capt. D. B. Stover ..... Salt Lake City.
Heller & Snyder ..... "
J. W. WALCOTT,
Office at Heller & Snyder's
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D. J. GOFF,
Next door north of Salt Lake House.
Dealer in
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Notions of all kinds
CIGARS and TOBACCOS
of the best quality.
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If you want to buy
TRIMMINGS
GO TO ELGUTTER'S
Temple of Fashion,
Main Street. nov4-tf

Proposals for Straw.
Chief Quartermaster's Office,
District of Utah,
G. S. L. City, U. T. Dec 30th '65.
SEALED Proposals will be received at this Office until Thursday, 12 o'clock M., January 4th 1866 for fifty (50) Tons of best quality of Straw; to be delivered at Camp Douglas, U. T., as required.
Bids will be received for less than the whole amount required. Bidders must accompany their Proposals with the names of two Sureties, who will give Bonds for the fulfillment of the contract intended. Proposals must be in duplicate, with copies of this advertisement attached and endorsed: "Proposals for Straw."
Bidders are invited to be present at the opening of bids at 12 m., January 4th 1866.
Bidders whose proposals are accepted, will pay for this advertisement.
Proposals will be addressed to the undersigned.
D. B STOVER
Capt. and Assistant Q. M., U. S. Vols.
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MONTANA
Restaurant,
BY
EAVES & SMITH,
Nearly opposite the S. L. House, East Temple street, Salt Lake City.
SUPERB Meals and Oysters at all hours. Transient and City patronage solicited.
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Proclamation!
To the People of Salt Lake and Vicinity.
WE, the undersigned, take pleasure in announcing to the gents and ladies of this city and surroundings, that we have opened our
Extensive Stock!
OF
DRY GOODS,
Groceries,
Ladies' Ware,
Gents' superior clothing,
Furnishing Goods,
Yankee Notions etc. etc.
with a stylish Stock of
Fancy Trimmings,
Ribbons,
Embroideries,
Nubias,
Suntags, every shape and
COLORS,
together with
WOOLEN GOODS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.
At the New Building, one door south of the California Telegraph Office, east side of East Temple Street
Come one, come all!
COHN & MUNTER
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Ho! For the Theater!
REFRESHMENTS will be furnished at the Ticket Office Camp Douglas Theater, on the nights of performances, and at all balls and parties given there up to the 1st of May, 1866, by MARK D. PROSSER, to whom he has privilege to the exclusion of all others.
Pies, Cakes, Candies, Fruits, Choice Temperance drinks, and Segars, all of the first quality, will be constantly kept on hand and sold at reasonable prices.
Soldiers, patronize your comrade, and get your money's worth.
Parties getting up balls will do well to consult the proprietor of the Theater Refreshment Saloon, before making arrangements elsewhere.

If you want to buy
French Embroideries,
GO TO ELGUTTER'S
TEMPLE OF FASHION

From Montana Territory.
For the
SUMMER & FALL TRADE.
Challenges Admiration
and comprises
Staple and Fancy
Dry Goods,
Latest style
Dress Goods
MILLINERY GOODS
TRIMMINGS,
NOTIONS,
Also
Boots and Shoes,
GAITERS
BALMORALS &c.
For all sexes and ages.
Latest modes
LADIES' HATS,
GENTS' & YOUTHS'
HATS & CAPS.
GENTS' CLOTHING
and
Furnishing Goods,
Fancy and Staple
Groceries.
The finest
TEAS!
Ever brought to Utah.
Also
Hardware,
Glass and
Chinaware,
Perfumery,
And
Fancy Articles,
School Books,
Paper and Stationery.
This new Stock was purchased in the east when gold was at its very lowest, thus enabling us to
Defy Competition,
At
Wholesale and Retail.
The highest Price paid for Produce.
N. S. RANSOHOFF & CO.,
East Temple Street.

From Montana Territory.

Gallatin City, M. T., Dec. 19, 1865.

Dear Vedette:

Winter, with all its rigor, set in a few weeks since, and completely locked us in our mountain home. Snow, ice and all the "properties" requisite, with the thermometer at thirty-three below zero, indeed made us feel the facts above. The last of the long-faced caravans has passed the Bitter Root Mountains bound hitherward, and the "Prairie Schooners" laden with the products of your own valley will fail to visit us again until the spring sun shall have melted the snow from the mountains and rendered the trails and roads more passable channels of commerce. In the mean time, what are we to do these long winter evenings? I think I hear you say "read." This would be good and amusement if books were here, but, most unfortunately, everybody and his friend came here in so great a hurry, that perforce the library was left behind. True we have the "Chapman Family" to while away the time with, of an evening; but most of us have been used to see full companies perform the same pieces which they attempt to put upon a half-finished stage, therefore no extraordinary interest is felt in theatricals. Your correspondent does not here intend to convey the impression that this is a poor company by any means, but simply what might be expected in a young Mining Camp like this, with all the difficulties of gathering materials, properties, etc. Upon the contrary, under the circumstances, their performances are verry creditable. Of course there is no "Mrs. Hayne" to personate the "Countess" or "Mariana," nor a Mrs. Leighton. to [illegible] the comic; nor have we [illegible] "Shylock," "Hamlet" or "Jack Cade", yet they that are here are passably good and sometimes amusing.

"Local Items" are scarce, and of little interest, not even a "square figh." to record since I last wrote you. True, we had an exhibition of a rather disgusting character some two weeks since. The celebrated Hangman's Tree, adjacent to this town, bore another sample of its human fruit in the person of one Saunders, who, (as the card pinned to his coat asserted) had stolen some $1100. from Mr. Andy Slain, over three months since. Dark hints were circulated that two others unknown were suspended a few nights thereafter, and cut down before the sun had "climbed the eastern hills." Of this, however, "Index" has no knowledge and cannot vouch In this relation I will refer the reader to the just and sensible charge delivered by Judge Munson to the Grand Jury at the sitting of the District court. He gives them fair warning that law has been proclaimed throughout the length and breadth of the land, that, further, there can be no excuse hereafter for these revolting midnight executions by irresponsible and unknown executives, at least so long as the minister of the law shall fulfil their obligations and office duties. Thus is furnished a fair opportunity for the Vigilantes to retire and foot up the account between their God and their consciences. To proceed further would be madness, and equal to an acknowledgement that our community had become so demoralized as to render the operations of all law wholly ineffectual. Let us at all events try its operations. If found ineffectual—its mandates disregarded with impunity—then will it be time for us, as of yore, to select good men and true, both to their country and their God, to assume the fearful responsibility of sitting in judgement upon the life of their fellow man.

A man named Andy I. Gartley, and his companion, got into a difficulty a few days since over a game of cards, which terminated in the death of Gartley, which was produced by three wounds inflicted with a knife, completely disemboweling the deceased. Both had worked together in California and were old acquaintances. They had always been on good terms. The result was undoubtedly produced by whisky. The prisoner, James Daniels, is in the custody of the U. S Marshall, awaiting his trial, which will be called up on Tuesday next before the United States court

Several indictments by the Grand Jury were handed into court for selling whisky to Indians. This seems to have been the principal business of these mountain traders for years, and, if report speaks true, our large northern fur companies have not been wholly exempt from this vile practice. The necessity of a strong military force, with two or three posts along the northern frontier, is becoming daily more and more apparent. Although a treaty has been proclaimed, loud-mouthedly, with the northern fragments of tribes, and a *few* presents actually given the Indians and the customary promises received, yet no one of said commissioners would dare to venture their foot into the camp of the same "contracting party" of the redskins. Is it not time this illusive sentimentality about "forest roses" and 'dignified children of the forest" was dispelled from the noodles of our representatives at Washington? Nothing save the total destruction of their property or lives will bring them to a true state of subjection. The history of the war in Oregon had its lesson. But *few* profited by it Col. Stepter was sent against them and driven from the country. Col. Wright (late Gen. Wright) was next dispatched into the very center of their country. By a skillful manetuver he got possession of 1500 horses and coolly shot the last one. This brought the Indians to immediate and satisfactory terms, which remain still inviolate. Destroy an Indian's property and means of locomotion, at the same time, and he is as harmless as the veriest puppy in the community.

"The Montana Radistor" a new weekly paper is about to "radiate" from this point, the news, intelligence and useful information that may henceforward accumulate in this burg. The *Press* is owned by Mr. T. J. Favorite who has not as yet arrived. Mr. B. R. Smith assumes the management and editing of the paper in Mr. Favorite's absence. We believe the political complexion will be Democratic, but will await the first issue without further comments.

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